

## THE HICKMAN COURIER

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PRINCE LOUIS,  
Heir to Throne of Monaco.

Kindness and Courage.  
Question not, but live and labor  
Till your goal be won;  
Helping every feeble stranger,  
Seeking help of none.

Life is mostly front and bubble,  
Two things stand like stone—  
Kindness in another's trouble,  
Courage in our own.  
—Adam Lindsay Gordon.

Modern business men in all  
lines have come to the realization  
that newspaper advertising  
is not expensive, but an investment,  
and a mighty good one.

### GERMANY'S GREAT MONUMENT

Colossal Memorial Nearing Completion  
Is Built to Commemorate the  
Battle of Leipzig.

Leipzig, Germany.—Perhaps the most colossal monument in all Germany is nearing completion here. Leipzig was the scene of three noteworthy battles—two in the Thirty Years' War and one in the Napoleonic wars. The monument is to commemorate the battles between the French under Napoleon and an allied army of Austrians, Russians, Prussians and Swedes. The monument will be dedicated in October, 1913, on the battle's centenary.

In the accompanying illustration the monument is shown as it will appear when completed. Some of the gigantic carvings—one of them forty feet high—are already in place. Even in-



Leipzig Monument.

complete, the monument thrills you with its colossal dimensions. It is three hundred feet in height, but it is built on such a mountainous scale that its tremendous height is minimized. It faces the city fronting a concreted lake several acres in extent. A broad boulevard will lead from it straight into Leipzig.

### THE DIMENSIONS OF HEAVEN

Preacher Figures It to Be the Equal  
of a 792,000 Story  
Building.

Louisville, Ky.—Heaven's exact dimensions were figured out in the sermon of the Rev. M. E. Dodd, pastor of a Louisville church, preached to his congregation recently. In the course of his sermon the preacher said:

"In Revelations, twenty-first chapter, sixteenth verse, nervous Christians have read where the dimensions of heaven are only 1,500 cubic miles. Immediately they jump at the conclusion that even this space will not accommodate the vast multitude of which the Bible speaks.

"However, calculation will show that this space will accommodate a building 792,000 stories high, and it is easy to demonstrate that such a building would accommodate an innumerable multitude."

### TEACHERS' EXAMINATIONS.

Teachers' examinations will be held at the Court House at Hickman on the following dates:

May 17 and 18.

May 24 and 25.

Virginia Luten, Co. Supt.

## Buy the Best

My Lots on The Hill  
Will Always be  
The Highest Priced Residence  
Lots in West Hickman  
They Are Now  
The Cheapest  
Considering Location  
Buy While Low  
And Make Mone

Prices will advance \$5 per lot  
on June 1st. See Russell John-  
son or J. H. Russell.

## G. B. BOND

## GENERAL FARM NOTES

The breeding ram should be of the  
best to be had.

Crop rotation belongs to any system  
which seeks to better the soil.

Thin ewes have no business dropping  
lambs at any season of the year.

Plenty of cheap pasture or a heavy  
green mulch to plow under is always  
a good asset.

In no line of domestic animals can  
there be greater improvement made  
by good sires than in sheep.

The ewes when bred should have  
special attention to keep them strong,  
vigorous, active and contented.

The breeding ewes should be fed  
and gotten into good condition in the  
fall, after the lambs are weaned.

Any feed that can be used for a pasture  
is worth more in that form to the  
farmer than if plowed under for manure.

Remember the cow has a hard time  
to keep up her usual milk flow and  
fight flies, to say nothing of the effect  
the terrific heat has upon her.

The man who neglects to keep all of  
his farm buildings insured is  
taking a greater risk than he can afford,  
no matter how well off he may be.

Soft fruits like apples, pears and  
peaches will keep well in refrigerator  
cars for six or even eight days, but  
will spoil in two or three days in warm  
cars.

When cultivating the orchard use a  
short singletree with the ends curved  
back like a half moon—no scraping the  
bark off with this.

In buying grass seed get heavy,  
clean seed. Clean timothy seed will  
weigh 45 pounds and clean red top 33  
pounds to the bushel.

### LATE COURT NEWS.

The grand jury has returned six indictments up to last night, several of those indicted being arrested and before the court for trial at this term.

Willie Adams vs. C., M. & G., dismissed on demurrer. Appeal granted defendant. The suit is for \$2500 for damages.

J. Q. Adams et al vs. W. A. Dodds. Dismissed settled.

J. M. Garrett, appeal from Hickman Police Court, where defendant was found guilty of violating local option law, jury hung. It is understood that the jury stood eleven for conviction and one for acquittal.

Jas. Wilson, malicious shooting, 1 year in penitentiary, and an indictment for escaping jail was filed away. Wilson, it will be remembered, shot Javer Noonon and shot at Rob Gooden on Thanksgiving day four years ago when seven prisoners broke jail, overpowering the Jailer and taking his cell keys when he carried their dinner to the prisoners. Wilson shot the Jailer in the hand with his own pistol and opened fire on the crowd on the river bank. The other case will be pushed when he is released from the penitentiary.

Jo Fry, receiving stolen goods, continued. Defendant is charged with receiving goods stolen from W. S. Doty's store in West Hickman.

N., C. & St. L., common nuisance, two cases, dismissed.

Barnell Wright, appeal from Hickman Police Court where he was found guilty of violating the local option law, fined \$57.50 by a jury.

Jim Ammons, firing deadly weapon on public highway, fined \$75 by jury.

Green Oatsvale, who shot a Mr. Boldt at a store near Bessie, will be tried today.

RIVER: Falling at all points above Cairo gauge reads 48.2, a fall of .5 in 24 hours. Indications point to a rapid fall.

### 568 PEOPLE FED YESTERDAY.

Rev. H. J. Geiger, who has been identified with relief work since the flood last month until the present time, has compiled some interesting figures during his services. The highest number of refugees in Hickman at any one time was 4,000. The loss of personal property to these people, such as clothing, furniture, chickens, pigs and other purely personal property, amounted to \$37,320.75, which on an average is certainly not exaggerated. All of these people were renters, and these figures have nothing to do with the loss of houses, fences, horses, farm machinery and farm products. Rations were issued from the commissary yesterday for 568 people and forage for 506 head of stock.

Come and see us—we can show you where you can save money on each and every purchase bought of us.—Sullivan Bros.

# Rugs, Matting, Linoleums Oilcloths, Carpets, Curtains, Shades

Articles of interest to every housekeeper. The new patterns for Spring are shown in their full range of colorings. It is a display unequalled in character and variety in any other store in Hickman. The low prices are one of the chief attractions.



## Rugs Rugs

If you are interested in rugs you should see our line before buying.

Brussels, Velvet and Axminster, room size, Oriental and Floral designs.

Price range from \$10.00 to \$25.00

### Linoleums

6 ft. printed Linoleums,  
floral and block patterns,  
per sq. yd. 55c and 65c

### Oilcloths

3 ft. and 6 ft., attractive  
patterns 30c to 50c



### Curtains

A wide range of materials  
and patterns at 50c to 80c  
a pair.

### Shades

Plain and duplex, all regular  
widths and lengths,  
at 25c to 1.25

## Matting

China Matting in neat patterns at,  
per yard 12½c to 35c

Japanese Matting, floral and figured  
designs, at 20c to 40c

Grass Rugs, especially adapted for Summer  
use, at \$2.50 up, according to size.



## Smith & Amberg

### SAYS THE OWL.

Not all the hot air comes from furnaces.

Of course a man with a better half isn't the whole thing.

Much that passes for real wisdom is nothing but nonsense.

A change in fashion separates a man from his spare change.

When some people pray it sounds more like an order than a petition.

Every time an old bachelor meets a young widow he gets stage fright.

An ounce of sense today is far better than a pound of regret tomorrow.

Eternity seems a long time—except to a couple of women saying good by.

A prima donna doesn't always lose her temper when she goes up in the air.

Many a woman drives her husband to drink and then blames him for letting her do it.

What a small boy can't understand is how a small girl manages to keep her hands so clean.

How contented most women seem to be who live alone—and how discontented most men are who try it!

"Hey, there!" called an old farmer to a man on the corner—and three grass widows stopped and looked around.

The tax books for the county are ready, and Sheriff Johnson can begin collecting taxes about May 20. Taxes are due and collectable now after March 1st, and the officials are anxious to get the taxes collected as early as possible.

1,000 Black Locust Fence Posts for sale, at 25c each. See Walter McMurry, at Hickman.

### IN A GENERAL WAY!

Filtered Ice Water at H. E. Curlin's  
Onion Sets at Betterworth and Prather's.

The N., C. & St. L. operators will not call a strike.

WEATHER: Fair today and Friday. The Confederate re-union will be held in Chattanooga in 1913.

Deputy U. S. Marshal Neel was here yesterday in connection with the Cooke vs. Hale & Ward timber suit.

Mrs. Lena Farham is agent for a comprehensive and interesting book on the Titanic disaster. It is well written and illustrated and will prove a valuable book.

### CANDIDATES SPEAK.

The three announced candidates for Congress from this district spoke at the Court House Tuesday afternoon to a good sized audience representing all parts of the county. There being no special issue to be discussed, the gentlemen good naturedly presented their claims to the voters. Of course each man had a logical reason why he should have the place in preference to his "worthy" opponent. To an outsider it appears that Judge Barkley and Hon. Denny P. Smith will share public favor about equally, and will have the lead over Hon. Jake Corbett. Corbett, however, will be in the running and is making a good impression among those, who for lack of knowing him, failed to consider him seriously. All are good fellows—give them an equal show and let the best man win.

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Our showing of Coronation Pumps and Street Oxfords in velvet, suede, bright kid, dull kid, tan russia, gun metal, white buck and linen crash, are indeed great values at

\$2.00 to \$4.00

## MILLET & ALEXANDER